

STATE OF INDIANA     )  
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COUNTY OF MARION    )

BEFORE THE INDIANA  
COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

Cause No.: 16009-IA17-0302-001

IN THE MATTER OF:                     )  
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INDEPENDENT ADJUSTER LICENSE       )  
APPLICATION OF:                       )  
  )  
Samuel Butler                           )  
18547 County Road 2                   )  
Bristol, IN 46507                      )

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STATE OF INDIANA  
DEPT. OF INSURANCE

**PRELIMINARY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER**  
**AND NOTICE OF LICENSE DENIAL**


The Indiana Department of Insurance, pursuant to the Indiana Administrative Orders and Procedures Act § 4-21.5-1 *et seq.* and Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18, hereby gives notice to Samuel Butler ("Applicant") of the following Administrative Order:

1. Applicant filed an application for licensure with the Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Insurance ("Commissioner") on February 03, 2017.
2. Before approving an application, the Commissioner must find that the applicant has met specific requirements under Indiana Code § 27-1-28-17 and Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18.
3. Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18(b)(6) provides, in part, that the Commissioner may refuse to issue or renew an independent adjusters license for having been convicted of a felony.
4. Following a review of materials submitted by Applicant in support of his application, the Commissioner being fully advised, now hereby notifies Applicant that he has not fully met the requirements of licensure as stated by Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18 due to his felony convictions of theft by check on August 14, 2002 in the State of Texas and failure to appear on July 20, 2006 in the State of Texas.

6. Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18(c) provides that the applicant or licensee may, not more than thirty (30) days after receiving the Commissioner's notice of refusal, make written demand upon the Commissioner for a hearing to determine the reasonableness of the refusal.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that Applicant's request for licensure is hereby DENIED pursuant to Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18(b)(6) due to having a felony conviction.

3/17/17  
Date Signed

  
Stephen W. Robertson, Commissioner  
Indiana Department of Insurance

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